

Focused Monitoring Activities

Winter 2012

Monitoring Priorities: 4A, 4B, FAPE

In accordance with the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (IDEA), § 300.600 (State Monitoring and Enforcement), the Michigan Department of Education, Office of Special Education (OSE) conducts Focused Monitoring activities in districts based on data submitted by districts. The Winter 2012 monitoring priorities are Indicators 4A (Suspension/Expulsion), 4B (Suspension/Expulsion by Race/Ethnicity), and Free Appropriate Public Education (FAPE).

Indicator 4A: Significant discrepancy in the rates of out-of-school suspensions and expulsions of students with IEPs for greater than 10 days.

On-site Review:

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| River Rouge School District | January 30-31, 2012 |
| Airport Community School District | February 1-2, 2012 |
| Allen Academy | February 2-3, 2012 |
| Linden Charter Academy | February 2-3, 2012 |
| Jackson Public Schools | February 9-10, 2012 |
| School District of Ypsilanti | February 9-10, 2012 |
| Albion Public Schools | February 13-14, 2012 |
| Southfield Public School District | February 16-17, 2012 |
| Vista Charter Academy | February 16-17, 2012 |
| Muskegon City School District | February 21-24, 2012 |
| Michigan Technical Academy | February 22-23, 2012 |
| Beecher Community School District | February 27-28, 2012 |
| Lansing Public School District | February 27-28, 2012 |
| Warrendale Charter Academy | February 27-28, 2012 |

Indicator 4B: Significant discrepancy in the rates of out-of-school suspensions and expulsions of students with IEPs for greater than 10 days by race/ethnicity.

On-site Review:

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| River Rouge School District | January 30-31, 2012 |
| Airport Community School District | February 1-2, 2012 |
| Pontiac City School District | February 1-2, 2012 |
| Allen Academy | February 2-3, 2012 |
| Battle Creek Public Schools | February 2-3, 2012 |
| Linden Charter Academy | February 2-3, 2012 |
| Bangor Township Schools | February 9-10, 2012 |
| Bradford Academy | February 9-10, 2012 |

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| Jackson Public Schools | February 9-10, 2012 |
| School District of Ypsilanti | February 9-10, 2012 |
| Albion Public Schools | February 13-14, 2012 |
| Lincoln Park Public Schools | February 13-14, 2012 |
| Southfield Public Schools | February 16-17, 2012 |
| Vista Charter Academy | February 16-17, 2012 |
| Muskegon City School District | February 21-24, 2012 |
| Michigan Technical Academy | February 22-23, 2012 |
| Beecher Community School District | February 27-28, 2012 |
| Lansing Public School District | February 27-28, 2012 |
| Warrendale Charter Academy | February 27-28, 2012 |

Desk Audit Review:

(To be completed by March 2, 2012)

Academy for Business and Technology
Adrian City School District
Atlanta Community Schools
Baldwin Community Schools
Center Line Public Schools
Da Vinci Institute
Dearborn City School District
Excel Charter Academy
Fortis Academy
Galesburg-Augusta Community Schools
Garden City School District
Grandville Public Schools
Great Oaks Academy
Greenville Public Schools
Landmark Academy
Laurus Academy
Linden Community Schools
Northridge Academy
Owendale-Gagetown Area Schools
Owosso Public Schools
Port Huron Area School District
Reach Charter Academy
Redford Union School District
Ridge Park Charter Academy
Rockford Public Schools
Roseville Community Schools
Saline Area Schools
South Haven Public Schools

South Redford School District
Swartz Creek Community Schools
Taylor School District
Van Dyke Public Schools
Vestaburg Community Schools
Walker Charter Academy
Walkerville Public Schools
Watersmeet Township School District
Wayne-Westland Community School District
Willow Run Community Schools
Woodhaven-Brownstown School District

State-Verified Self Reviews:
(To be completed by March 2, 2012)

Cassopolis Public Schools
Detroit Merit Charter Academy
Grand Public School District
Knapp Charter Academy
Lakeview School District (Calhoun)
Metro Charter Academy
Orchard View Schools
Rudyard Area Schools
Summit Academy North
Wyoming Public Schools

FAPE: Provision of a free appropriate public education for students with IEPs.

On-site Review:

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| Pontiac City School District | February 1-2, 2012 |
| Battle Creek Public Schools | February 2-3, 2012 |
| Albion Public Schools | February 13-14, 2012 |
| Southfield Public School District | February 16-17, 2012 |
| Muskegon City School District | February 21-24, 2012 |
| Lansing Public School District | February 27-28, 2012 |